

The Director of Central Intelligence

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Mr. Don Booth
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Dear Don,

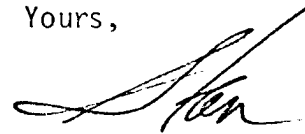
How proud Pat and I are to learn of your induction into the IMCEA Military Club Hall of Fame! In my 32-year military experience, I have found no finer a military club environment and operation than the one conceived and maintained by you in Newport for so many years. Truly, you are a most deserving recipient of this recognition by your peers.

During my tenure as President of the Naval War College, your untiring and dynamic assistance to me in hosting an International Seapower Symposium and several national conferences helped immeasurably to create an important setting for a better understanding of United States foreign and military policies.

The Navy and the Department of Defense are most fortunate to have such a manager of your leadership and total commitment to excellence.

Please accept my very best wishes and congratulations upon your selection for this well-deserved honor.

Yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Sten" or "Stansfield", with a stylized flourish extending from the end.

STANSFIELD TURNER